

109TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 4145

AN ACT

To direct the Joint Committee on the Library to obtain a statue of Rosa Parks and to place the statue in the United States Capitol in National Statuary Hall, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. PLACEMENT OF STATUE OF ROSA PARKS IN NA-**
2 **TIONAL STATUARY HALL.**

3 (a) OBTAINING STATUE.—Not later than 2 years
4 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Joint Com-
5 mittee on the Library shall enter into an agreement to
6 obtain a statue of Rosa Parks, under such terms and con-
7 ditions as the Joint Committee considers appropriate con-
8 sistent with applicable law.

9 (b) PLACEMENT.—The Joint Committee shall place
10 the statue obtained under subsection (a) in the United
11 States Capitol in a suitable permanent location in Na-
12 tional Statuary Hall.

13 **SEC. 2. ELIGIBILITY FOR PLACEMENT OF STATUES IN NA-**
14 **TIONAL STATUARY HALL.**

15 (a) ELIGIBILITY.—No statue of any individual may
16 be placed in National Statuary Hall until after the expira-
17 tion of the 10-year period which begins on the date of the
18 individual's death.

19 (b) EXCEPTIONS.—Subsection (a) does not apply
20 with respect to—

21 (1) the statue obtained and placed in National
22 Statuary Hall under this Act; or

23 (2) any statue provided and furnished by a
24 State under section 1814 of the Revised Statutes of
25 the United States (2 U.S.C. 2131) or any replace-
26 ment statue provided by a State under section 311

1 of the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 2001
2 (2 U.S.C. 2132).

3 **SEC. 3. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

4 There are authorized to be appropriated such sums
5 as may be necessary to carry out this Act, and any
6 amounts so appropriated shall remain available until ex-
7 pended.

Passed the House of Representatives November 18
(legislative day, November 17), 2005.

Attest:

Clerk.

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